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ELECTRICAL, NATURAL GAS NETWORKS,
WILL BE EXPANDED

DEVELOPMENT OF THE ELECTRICAL NETWORK -- Hepszava, No 106, 8 May 49

Prior to 1944, only 1,400 villages had electricity; by the end of the three-year plan 1,780 villages were electrified, and at the close of the Five-Year Plan 3,030 villages will have electricity. In 1950, 2,030 villages will be included in the electrical network.

At present, 30 kilometers of power lines are being stretched between Tiszakécsk and Kesznyet at a cost of 1½ million forints.

The reconstruction of the lines destroyed during the war, together with the installation of new lines in 1948, gave Hungary 11,768 kilometers of high-tension lines and 14,048 kilometers of local lines. In 1949 the number of kilometers of high-tension lines will be increased to 12,638 and that of local lines to 17,052 kilometers. By 1954 the total length of high-tension and local lines will be 37,000 kilometers.

MORE CITIES TO GET NATURAL GAS -- Kis Ujsag, No 115, 19 May 49

During the Five-Year Plan, Gsepel, Pestszenterzsebet, Kispeszt (Wekerle region), Újpest, Rakospalota, Albertfalva, and Budafok will be in the natural-gas network. With the completion of the Five-Year Plan, Gsepel will receive 7 million cubic meters of gas annually, Pestszenterzsebet 5 million, Kispeszt (Wekerle region) 2 million, Újpest 2½ million, Rakospalota 2 million, and Albertfalva 1½ million and Budafok also 1½ million.

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